

FIG. 1

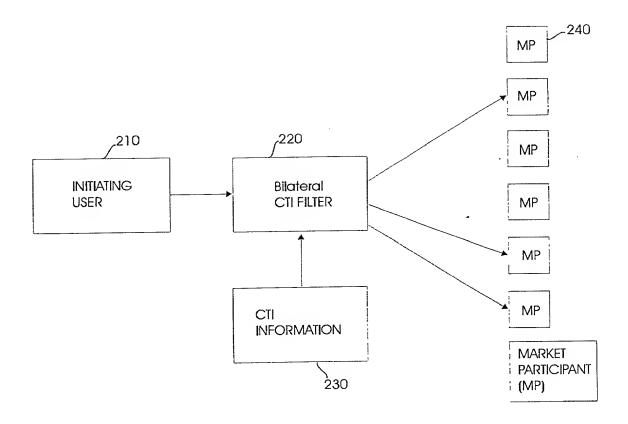


FIG. 2

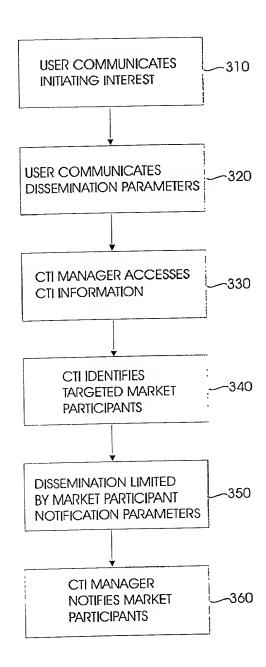


FIG. 3

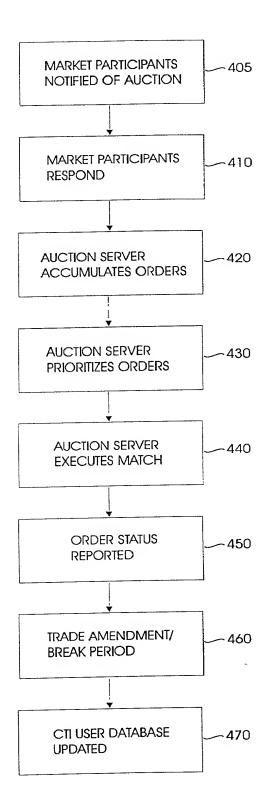


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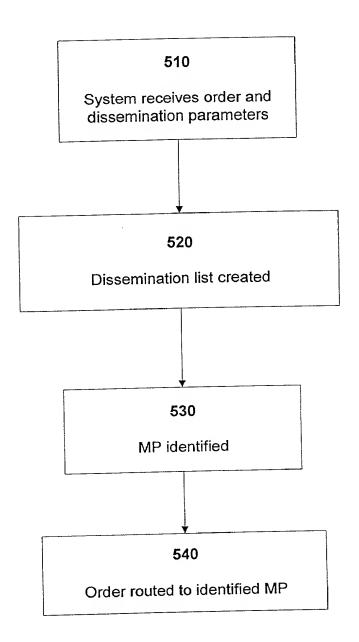


FIG. 5

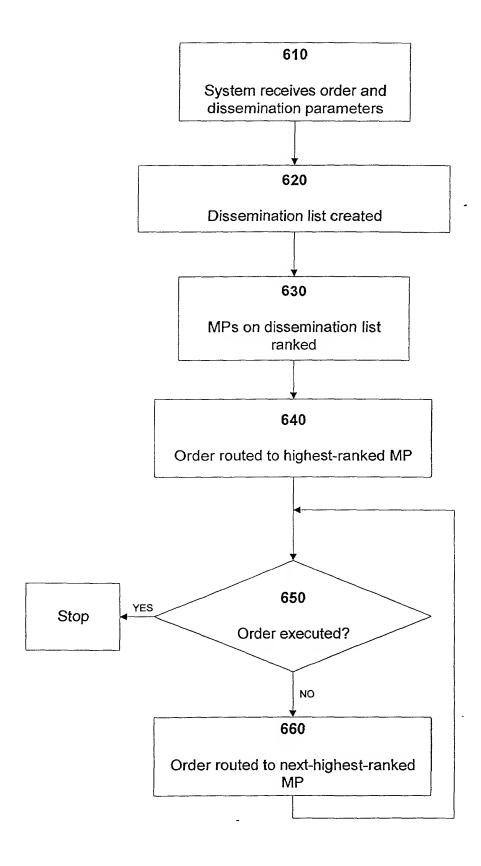


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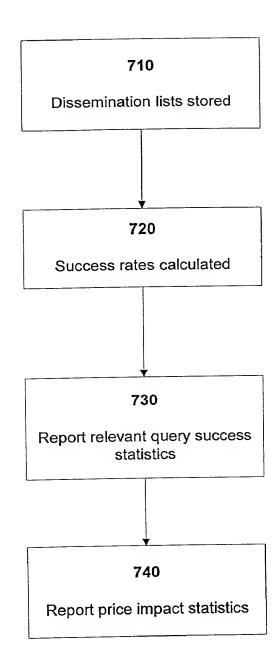


FIG. 7

System receives order data From First MP Received data stored in database System receives data comprising conditions on orders from second MP 840 for orders satistying System searches database second MP's conditions and finds one or more orders, including order from First MP Found orders designated as "reserved" One or more of found orders (including order received the first time of from first MP) routed to second MP T. System receives status info from second MP bah regarding order from First MP The state of the s YES Was order from first MP executed? NO 885 2880 System teports execution to First MP Was order from First MP released? YES 995 "Reserved" designation is removed From order F16, 8

